

| THE GILDED AGE - RESOURCES | | | | |
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| TEACHER RESOURCES SLATE Web Quest Builder: www.landmark-project.com/slate.php3 (teacher) Gilded Age Instruction Models (Multiple Intelligences) www.oah.org/pubs/magazine/gilded/cantuarticle.htm Gilded Age (Online Quiz) www.historyteacher.net/USProjects/GildedAge1.htm www.historyteacher.net/USProjects/USQuizzes/GildedAge2.htm www.historyteacher.net/USProjects/Quizzes5-6/GildedAge5.htm www.historyteacher.net/USProjects/USQuizzes/Immigration1.htm www.historyteacher.net/USProjects/USQuizzes/Immigration2.htm www.historyteacher.net/USProjects/USQuizzes/Industrialization1.htm www.historyteacher.net/USProjects/USQuizzes/Industrialization2.htm www.historyteacher.net/USProjects/USQuizzes/BusinessLabor1.htm www.historyteacher.net/USProjects/USQuizzes/BusinessLabor2.htm www.historyteacher.net/USProjects/USQuizzes/BusinessLabor3.htm www.historyteacher.net/USProjects/Quizzes5-6/BusinessLabor5.htm www.historyteacher.net/USProjects/Quizzes5-6/BusinessLabor6.htm | | | | |
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| MULTIMEDIA RESOURCES (many imbedded in segment resources) Audio-Files: http://www.dailywav.com Photos: Turn of the Century Photos 1880-1920: www.picturehistory.com http://lcweb2.loc.gov/ammem/detroit/dethome.html http://us.history.wisc.edu/hist102/photos/html/sindex.html ART: www.ku.edu/~sma/online/gilded_age/gilded.html Panoramic Photos 1851-1991: http://lcweb2.loc.gov/ammem/collections/panoramic_photo/subject.html Video & Audio Resources: America at Work / Leisure 1894-1915 http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/awlhtml/ Vaudeville and Popular Entertainment 1870-1920 http://lcweb2.loc.gov/ammem/vshtml/vshome.html The Life of a City: Early Films of New York, 1898-1906 http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/papr/nychome.html | | | | |

GILDED AGE RESOURCES (Meta-Sites)

www.sparknotes.com/history/american/gildedage/terms.html (Terms, People, and Events)
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gilded_Age
www.hyperhistory.com/online_n2/History_n2/a.html
<http://cvip.fresno.com/~jsh33/gild.html>
www.digitalhistory.uh.edu/database/subtitles.cfm?titleID=29
www.digitalhistory.uh.edu/resource_guides/content2.cfm?tpc=17
www.raken.com/american_wealth/Gilded_age_index.asp
www.h-net.org/~shgape/internet/index.html
www2.tntech.edu/history/gilprog.html
<http://cvip.fresno.com/~jsh33/gild.html>
<http://bss.sfsu.edu/cherny/gapesites.htm>

PRESIDENTS - ELECTIONS

Presidential Elections 1860-1912: <http://elections.harpweek.com/>
 Election Atlas: www.uselectionatlas.org

American Presidents – Life Portraits www.americanpresidents.org
Rutherford B. Hayes 1876:
James Garfield 1880:
Grover Cleveland 1884 & 1892:
Benjamin Harrison 1888:
William McKinley 1896, 1900:
www.learner.org/biographyofamerica/prog17/index.html
Theodore Roosevelt 1904:
www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/tr
www.npg.si.edu/exh/roosevelt
William Taft 1908:
Woodrow Wilson 1912, 1916:
www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/wilson

SEGMENT 1: TECHNOLOGY

Industrial Revolution
www.emayzine.com/lectures/indust~1.htm
 Industrial Supremacy
www.learner.org/biographyofamerica/prog14/index.html
 Industrialization and the Working Class
www.digitalhistory.uh.edu/database/subtitles.cfm?titleID=38

Use of Natural Resources:
www.emayzine.com/lectures/indust~1.htm
www.sasked.gov.sk.ca/docs/history10/activity/unit4/u4act1sis.html
Iron / Steel:
<http://history.osu.edu/Projects/Steel/Default.htm>
Coal
http://history.osu.edu/Projects/Gilded_Age/default.htm
Oil
www.micheloud.com/FXM/SO/rock.htm

Transcontinental Railroad
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/First_Transcontinental_Railroad
<http://cpr.org/Museum/index.html>
www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/iron

Inventors and their Inventions:

Samuel F. B. Morse
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Samuel_F._B._Morse
<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/atthtml/mrshome.html>
<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/sfbmhtml/sfbmhome.html>
<http://www2.fht-esslingen.de/telehistory/morse.html>
<http://www.npg.si.edu/edu/brush/guide/unit2/morse.html>
 Henry Bessemer
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Henry_Bessemer
<http://web.mit.edu/invent/iow/bessemer.html>
www.ideafinder.com/history/inventors/bessemer.htm
www.bartleby.com/65/be/Bessemr-pro.html
 Alexander Graham Bell
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Alexander_Graham_Bell
<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/bellhtml/bellhome.html>
<http://bell.uccb.ns.ca/>
 Thomas Alva Edison
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Thomas_Edison
<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/edhtml/edbichm.html>
<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/edhtml/edhome.html>
www.americaslibrary.gov/cgi-bin/page.cgi/aa/edison
<http://edison.rutgers.edu/>
www.thomasedison.com/
<http://inventors.about.com/library/inventors/bledison.htm>
 * George Westinghouse
<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/papr/west/westgorg.html>
<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/papr/west/westhome.html>

SEGMENT 2: BIG BUSINESS

The Rise of Big Business

www.digitalhistory.uh.edu/database/subtitles.cfm?titleID=34

Laissez-Faire Capitalism:

www.bartleby.com/65/la/laissezf.html
 Adam Smith's - *The Wealth of Nations*
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Adam_Smith
<http://odur.let.rug.nl/~usa/B/asmith/adams1.htm>
www.bartleby.com/65/sm/Smith-Ad.html

Forms of Business Organization:

[http://encarta.msn.com/encyclopedia_1741500823_21/United_States_\(History\).html](http://encarta.msn.com/encyclopedia_1741500823_21/United_States_(History).html)
 Monopoly
 Conglomerate
 Pool
 Trust
<http://projects.vassar.edu/1896/trusts.html>
 Holding Company

Entrepreneurs (Robber Barons or Captains of Industry?):

Andrew Carnegie
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Andrew_Carnegie
www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/carnegie
www.swarthmore.edu/SocSci/rbannis1/AIH19th/Carnegie.html (Gospel of Wealth)
www.carnegie.org/sub/kids/index.html
 John D. Rockefeller
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/John_D._Rockefeller
www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/rockefellers/index.html
www.micheloud.com/FXM/SO/rock.htm

J. Pierpont Morgan
www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/1900/peopleevents/pande10.html
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/J._Pierpont_Morgan
<http://projects.vassar.edu/1896/morganbonds.html>
 Jay Gould
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jay_Gould
www.digitalhistory.uh.edu/database/article_display.cfm?HHID=203
www.buyandhold.com/bh/en/education/history/2001/gould.html
 Henry Ford
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Henry_Ford
www.time.com/time/time100/builder/profile/ford.html
<http://inventors.about.com/library/inventors/blford.htm>

Conspicuous Consumption

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Conspicuous_consumption

Philanthropy

<http://philanthropy.com/free/articles/v12/i06/06002901.htm>
www.dke.org/forstmann.html
www.michaellorenzen.com/carnegie.html
www.abilene2000.com/icons/1204.html

SEGMENT 3: URBANIZATION

The Rise of the City

www.learner.org/biographyofamerica/prog15/index.html
www.digitalhistory.uh.edu/database/subtitles.cfm?titleID=26
www.sparknotes.com/history/american/gildedage/section5.rhtml

Negative Effects of Urbanization:

Housing (tenements, slums, etc.)

www.wnet.org/tenement

www.tenement.org/Virtual_Tour/index_virtual.html

<http://tenant.net/Community/Riis/title.html>

Health (disease, sanitation, etc.)

www.orange.k12.oh.us/teachers/ohs/TJordan/Pages/sanitaryconditions.html

Working Conditions (child labor, etc.)

www.ilr.cornell.edu/trianglefire

Child Labor

www.historyplace.com/unitedstates/childlabor/index.html

<http://history.osu.edu/Projects/ChildLabor/CottonDress>

<http://history.osu.edu/Projects/ChildLabor/MrCoalsStory>

Political Machines (Tammany Hall, graft, etc.)

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tammany_Hall

www.albany.edu/~dkw42/tweed.html

www.answers.com/topic/graft

Positive Effects of Urbanization:

www.digitalhistory.uh.edu/database/subtitles.cfm?titleID=60

New Technologies (elevators, skyscrapers, street lighting, water and sewage systems, etc.)

Cultural Benefits (museums, theaters, parks, libraries, education, etc.)

Philosophies:

Puritan Work Ethic

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Protestant_work_ethic

www.answers.com/topic/protestant-work-ethic

Social Darwinism (Horatio Alger, etc.)

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Social_Darwinism

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Horatio_Alger

SEGMENT 4: IMMIGRATION

The Huddled Masses:
www.digitalhistory.uh.edu/database/subtitles.cfm?titleID=59

The Changing Character of Immigration:

<http://history.osu.edu/Projects/Immigration/CharacterofImmigration/CharacterImmigration.htm>
<http://immigrants.harpweek.com/Default.htm>
<http://teacher.scholastic.com/researchtools/researchstarters/immigration/article3.htm>

Periods of Immigration:

www.bergen.org/AAST/Projects/Immigration/waves_of_immigration.html
http://nhs.needham.k12.ma.us/cur/kane98/kane_p3_immig/China/china.htm

Colonial Immigration (time period, place of origin, difficulties, etc.)

"Old" immigration (time period, place of origin, difficulties, etc.)

"New" Immigration (time period, place of origin, difficulties, etc.)

Reaction Against Immigration:

Nativism

<http://dig.lib.niu.edu/message/ps-nativism.html>

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Nativism>

<http://teacher.scholastic.com/researchtools/researchstarters/immigration/article4.htm>

Know-Nothing Party

<http://dig.lib.niu.edu/message/ps-knownothing.html>

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Know-Nothing_Party

Chinese Exclusion Act of 1882 ("Yellow Peril")

<http://teacher.scholastic.com/researchtools/researchstarters/immigration/article5b.htm>

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chinese_Exclusion_Act

National Origins Acts (1924, 1929)

www.ci.nyc.ny.us/html/misc/html/tired.html

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/National_Origins_Act

Theories of Immigration:

<http://edusolution.com/myclassroom/classnotes/immigration/immigration5.htm>

www.tolerance.cz/courses/texts/melting.htm

Melting-Pot Theory

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Melting_pot

Assimilation

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Assimilation_%28sociology%29

Salad-Bowl Theory (Pluralism)

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pluralism>

SEGMENT 5: REACTIONS

The Ram's Horn (Reactionary Cartoons): http://history.osu.edu/Projects/Rams_Horn/default.htm

Labor-Management Conflict: <http://history.osu.edu/Projects/LaborConflict/Default.htm>

Granger Movement:

Railroad Practices (pools, rebates, etc.)

<http://countrystudies.us/united-states/history-73.htm>

Railroads=Public Utility

www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/tcrr/peopleevents/p_stanford.html

Bloc Voting

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bloc_voting

Granger State Laws

<http://odur.let.rug.nl/~usa/E/ironhorse/ironhorse27.htm>

Munn v. Illinois (1877)

www.answers.com/topic/munn-v-illinois

Wabash Case (1886)
<http://historymatters.gmu.edu/d/5746/>
Interstate Commerce Act (1887)
www.civics-online.org/library/formatted/texts/interstate_commerce.html (text-full)
www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/streamliners/peopleevents/e_ica.html (in context)

Sherman Antitrust Act (1890)
www.encyclopedia.com/html/S/ShermanA1.asp
<http://home.cwru.edu/csp/ms4.htm>

Unionism:

Collective Bargaining
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Collective_bargaining
Knights of Labor
www.spartacus.schoolnet.co.uk/USAknight.htm
www.factmonster.com/ce6/bus/A0827931.html
American Federation of Labor
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/American_Federation_of_Labor
www.bartleby.com/65/am/AmerFL-CIO.html
International Ladies' Garment Workers Union
www.nps.gov/elro/glossary/ilgwu.htm

Early Reformers:

Thomas Nast
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Thomas_Nast
www.printsoldandrare.com/thomasnast
<http://cartoons.osu.edu/nast/>
Jane Addams (Hull House)
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jane_Addams
www.uic.edu/jaddams/hull/urbanexp/contents.htm
<http://wall.aa.uic.edu:62730/artifact/HullHouse.asp>
<http://teacher.scholastic.com/researchtools/researchstarters/immigration/article9a.htm>

ADDITIONAL TOPICS

The Dramas of Haymarket: www.chicagohistory.org/dramas/index.htm
Mark Twain – The Gilded Age: www.pbs.org/marktwain/scrapbook/05_gilded_age
Buffalo Soldiers : www.imh.org/imh/buf/buftoc.html
Outlines (key points of the Gilded Age)
www.colorado.edu/AmStudies/lewis/2010/urbaninsoc.htm
www.wwnorton.com/inventing/interface/ch18/ch18_overview.htm (some images/maps/audio/video)
www.wwnorton.com/inventing/interface/ch19/ch19_overview.htm (some images/maps/video)
www.wwnorton.com/inventing/interface/ch20/ch20_overview.htm (some images/maps/video)

Questions to consider in reflection of the Gilded Age

1. What conditions existed in the United States which allowed the Industrial Revolution to take root and flourish in America ?
2. How did laissez-faire capitalism influence the development of business organization in the United States ?
3. Were the leaders of Big Business "robber barons," or in fact "captains of industry?"
4. How did some philosophies serve to support class division during the Gilded Age?
5. How did the Industrial Revolution cause urbanization and a dramatic increase in the number of immigrants to the United States ?
6. What effect did urbanization and immigration have on the United States ?
7. Why have many historians considered the late 1800's in America to be a Gilded Age; a period which was outwardly showy, but inwardly corrupt?
8. How did early reaction to the Gilded Age attempt to correct the abuses of the period?